

**Amendments to the specification:**

Please amend the text at page 7, line 5, as follows:  
and the salts ~~thereof~~, thereof.

Please delete the text at page 7, lines 7-8.

Please delete the text at page 7, lines 10-12.

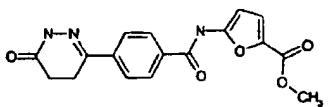
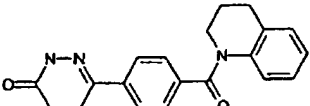
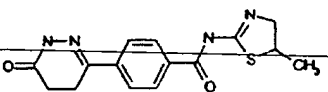
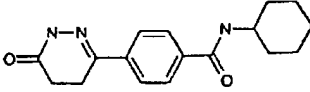
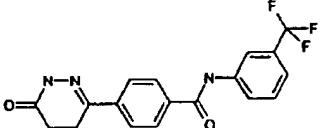
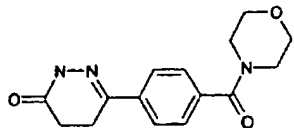
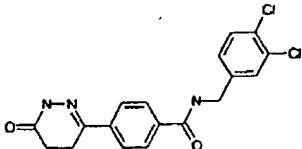
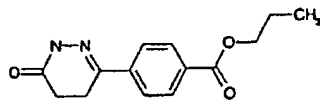
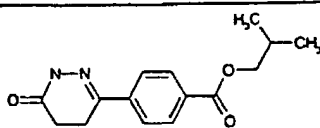
Please amend the text at page 11, line 17, as follows:  
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Please delete the text at page 11, lines 19-20.

Please amend the text at page 14, line 4, as follows:  
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Please delete the text at page 14, lines 6-7.

Please replace the tabular data presentation on page 30 with the following amended version:

Ex. No.	Structure	MW	m.p.:
24		341.33	>260
25		333.39	215-216
<del>26</del>		<del>316.38</del>	<del>&gt;260</del>
27		299.38	249-250
28		361.33	229-230
29		287.32	202-203
30		376.25	208-209
31		260.30	283-284
32		274.32	259-260

Please replace the tabular data presentation on page 32 with the following amended version:

Ex. No.	Structure	MW	m.p.:
42		307.36	208-209
43		339.37	189-190
44		327.41	215-216
45		329.31	278-279
46		311.32	260 Z
47		342.38	>250
48		336.35	283 Z
49		325.35	186-7
<del>50</del>		<del>316.38</del>	<del>&gt;260</del>